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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes; Meeting Notice

AGENCY: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission will convene a meeting of the Advisory Committee on the Medical Uses of Isotopes (ACMUI) on February 21-22, 1996. The ACMUI will review the National Academy of Sciences, Institute of Medicine (IOM), report and provide comments on the possible impacts of the report, including any policy, legislative, rulemaking, and guidance issues. The meeting will take place at the address provided below. All sessions of the meeting will be open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m., on February 21 and 22, 1996.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In January 1994, the NRC contracted with the IOM, to conduct an external review of the NRC's medical regulatory program, which included a review of the basic regulatory rules, policies, practices, and procedures. There were three major goals of the study: (1) examination of the overall risk associated with the use of ionizing radiation in medicine; (2) examination of the broad policy issues that underlie the regulation of the medical uses of radioisotopes; and (3) a critical assessment of the current framework for the regulation of the medical uses of byproduct material. The NRC was seeking specific recommendations on two major issues. First, it requested recommendations on a uniform national approach to the regulation of ionizing radiation in all medical applications, including consideration of how the regulatory authority and responsibility for medical devices sold in interstate commerce for application of radiation to human beings should be allocated among Federal Government agencies and between the Federal and State Governments. Secondly, it requested recommendations on appropriate criteria to measure the effectiveness of regulatory program(s) needed to protect public health and safety. The IOM report provides recommendations to

Congress, the NRC, the States and the Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors. The agenda will include a summary of the IOM findings and recommendations; a summary of the staff plan, to date, for analysis of the report; and a discussion of the implications and impacts of the eight recommendations.

ADDRESSES: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Two White Flint North, 11545 Rockville Pike, Room T2B3, Rockville, MD 20852-2738.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT: Josephine M. Piccone, Ph.D., U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, MS T8F5, Washington, DC 20555, Telephone (301) 415-7270. For administrative information, contact Torre Taylor, (301) 415-7900.

Conduct of the Meeting:

Barry Siegel, M.D., will chair the meeting. Dr. Siegel will conduct the meeting in a manner that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. The following procedures apply to public participation in the meeting:

1. Persons who wish to provide a written statement should submit a reproducible copy to Josephine M. Piccone (address listed previously), by February 16, 1996. The transcript of the meeting will be kept open until February 26, 1996, for inclusion of written comments submitted after February 16, 1996. Statements must pertain to the topics on the agenda for the meeting.
2. At the meeting, questions from members of the public will be permitted at the discretion of the Chairman.
3. The transcript and written comments will be available for inspection, and copying, for a fee, at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW, Lower Level, Washington, DC 20555 (202) 634-3273, on or about March 8, 1996. Minutes of the meeting will be available on or about April 5, 1996.
4. Seating for the public will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

This meeting will be held in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (primarily Section 161a); the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App); and the Commission's regulations in Title 10, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 7.

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 Andrew L. Bates,
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Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the purposes of Sections 29 and 182b. of the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 2039, 2232b), the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards will hold a meeting on February 8-10, 1996, in Conference Room T-2B3, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland. The date of this meeting was previously published in the Federal Register on Monday, November 27, 1995 (60 FR 58393).

Thursday, February 8, 1996

8:30 A.M.-8:45 A.M.: Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman (Open)

The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding conduct of the meeting and comment briefly regarding items of current interest. During this session, the Committee will discuss priorities for preparation of ACRS reports.

8:45 A.M.-10:45 A.M.: Adequacy of Individual Plant Examinations (IPEs) (Open)

The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the adequacy of the IPEs for regulatory applications.

Representatives of the nuclear industry will participate, as appropriate.

11:00 A.M.-2:45 P.M. (LUNCH 12:30 P.M.-1:30 P.M.): Recirculation Sump Strainer Clogging Events (Open)

The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC staff and BWR Owners Group (BWROG) regarding the recirculation sump strainer clogging events, including those that occurred at Barseback, Perry, and Limerick Nuclear Power Plants, and the associated regulatory actions.

3:00 P.M.-5:00 P.M.: Westinghouse COBRA/TRAC Best-Estimate Thermal Hydraulic Code (Open/Closed)

The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation and the NRC staff regarding the Westinghouse COBRA/TRAC best-estimate code to be used in support of the AP600 passive plant design certification.

A portion of this session may be closed to discuss Westinghouse proprietary information applicable to this matter.